

GALT TRAFFIC



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MAY 1999

ART GALT INDUCTED INTO ILLINOIS AVIATION HALL OF FAME



Arthur T. Galt Jr., aviation pioneer

The story on page 1 (with color photo) in the April 29th edition of the *Northwest Herald* was headlined, "Life in flight" "Aviation hall set to honor Galt, 87"

The story announcing Art's induction into the Illinois Aviation Hall of Fame went on to give a brief biography of Art and a short history of Galt Airport. Those of you who receive *Illinois Aviation* can expect to see additional coverage in the upcoming issue.

Art's many friends join in wishing him congratulations, best wishes, and a resounding WELL DONE!

CONGRATULATIONS TO A NEW GENERATION

Join us in congratulating a new generation of aviators: **Dave Henderson** and **Bob Seaward**, both soloed in April. Congrats also to **Steve Hill**, EAA 932 member and former Galt "Lineboy", who starts F/O training with Continental Express in June.

GOOD-BYE TO JIM LISS

We'll miss Jim Liss, an 11 year veteran of the Galt maintenance staff who has left to pursue a career in

financial trading. Good luck Jim, we hope to see you at Galt now and then and we're anxiously awaiting the first flight of your RotorWay project.

MAY 8 - YOUNG EAGLES FLIGHTS

By Jack Hartery

The Young Eagles Program is proving to be a great success. EAA 932 will have monthly Young Eagles days on 2nd Saturdays, May -Oct. from 11 AM to 4 PM.

Young Eagles are given a certificate marking the event and are entered into the "world's largest logbook" at the EAA Airventure Museum in Oshkosh.

Written parental permission is required. Parental consent forms (*if needed in advance*) are available by calling Jack Hartery, EAA Chap. 932 Young Eagles Coordinator, at 815/243-5767 and leaving a message. There will be no rain dates. Parents/siblings may also ride on a "space available" basis. Former Young Eagles can ride again as long as it is with a different pilot in a different aircraft.

Refreshments will be available on Young Eagles days and serve as the primary fund raising activity for EAA Chapt. 932 during 1999.

If you would like to be a part of this worthwhile and "fun" activity, why not join us? Pilots need only be EAA members (don't have to belong to a local chapter), be "current" and have an airworthy aircraft with a minimum of \$100,000 liability insurance. EAA has an umbrella policy that covers you for an additional amount up to one million dollars while conducting Young Eagle flights.

Just as important as pilots are helpers on the ground. We need help with everything from registering Young Eagles to parking cars to flipping burgers. Please give us a hand! Give me a call at 815/243-5767.

MAY 15 - 3RD ANNUAL BOMB DROP!

The "bomb drop" has been well received and we're doing it again on Saturday, May 15. All pilots must attend a safety briefing at the EAA 932 hangar at 11 Am sharp. Each pilot/bombardier team will pay a \$10 entrance fee all of which will be divided among the first, second and third place winners. EAA 932 will be trying to raise a few bucks by selling refreshments, so plan on joining us for lunch.

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MAY FLY-IN CALENDAR

Call ahead for Details

May 2 Rockford, IL (RFD) 815/234-4016
Fly-In Breakfast, Courtesy Aircraft, 7am-Noon
May 8 Galt Airport (10C) 815/338-3551
Young Eagles Flights 11am-4pm
May 9 Fond du Lac, WI (FLD) 920/923-4077
Fly-In Breakfast 7am-Noon
May 15 Galt Airport (10C) 815/338-3551
3rd Annual Bomb Drop 11am
May 15 Sparta/Ft. McCoy, WI (CMY) 608/269-1747
Lumberjack Breakfast and car show 7am-Noon
May 15-16 Palmyra, IL (5K1) 618/778-5752
Food, Fun, Camping, Entertainment. 3 meals both days
May 16 Lone Rock, WI (LNR) 608/583-2600
Pancake Breakfast 7am-Noon
May 16 Mt. Morris, IL (C55) 815/732-7268
Breakfast 7am-Noon
May 16 Romeoville, IL (LOT) 815/436-6153
Breakfast 7am-Noon
May 22 Bloomington, IL (BMI) 309/663-7632
B'fast at the Prairie Aviation Museum 7am
May 22 Sterling-Rock Falls, IL (SQI) 847/729-1309
Whiteside County Airport Air Rally '99
May 23 Brodhead, WI (C37) 608/897-4000
Breakfast 7am-Noon. Antique Aircraft on Display
May 23 Canton, IL (CTK) 800/647-6976

May 23 Kenosha, WI (ENW) 414/835-9483
I.A.C. Chapt. 8 Pancake Breakfast 7am-Noon
May 29-30 West Bend, WI (ETB) 414/334-6127
1st Annual W. Bend Mem. Air Festival 8am-6:30pm
May 30 Portage, WI (C47) 608/742-7338
Pancake Breakfast 7am-Noon
.....And looking ahead.....
(EAA 932 Meets on 3rd Saturdays, 10 AM at Galt)
Jun 5 AOPA Fly-In, Frederick, MD
Jun 5-6 Chapter's Oshkosh Work Party Weekend
Jun 12 Worldwide Int'l Young Eagles Day 11am-4pm
Jun 13-22 Paris Int'l Airshow '99, Paris, FR
Jun 19 Chapter Meeting 10am
Jun 20 Father's Day
Jul 10 Young Eagles 11am-4pm
Jul 17 Chapter Meeting 10am
Jul 24-25 United States Air & Trade Show, Dayton OH
Jul 28-Aug 3 EAA AirVenture '99, Oshkosh, WI
Aug 14 Young Eagles 11am-4pm
Aug. 21 Chapter Meeting 10am. **Big Pig Roast** 4-6pm
Sep 4-6 Canadian Airshow and Int'l Expo. Toronto, ON
Sep 11 Young Eagles 11am-4pm
Sep 16-19 Reno Air Races, Reno, NV
Sep 18 Chapter Meeting 10am
Oct 9 Young Eagles 11am-4pm
Oct 16 Ch. Meeting 10am **Hayride & Chili Dump** 5pm

Oct 21-23 AOPA Expo '99, Atlantic City, NJ
Oct 31 Daylight Savings Time Ends
Nov 20 Chapter Meeting 10am
Nov 25 Thanksgiving Day
Dec 18 Chapter Meeting 10am **Christmas Dinner** 7pm
Dec 24 Christmas Day
Dec 31 New Year's Eve

The Airborne Epicure:

FAVORITE FLY-OUTS:

Rockford, IL - RFD

**** Something Special! ** Probably won't hurt you
*** Worth the trip! * Pack plenty of barf bags

Just an update for those of you who haven't flown into Rockford lately. You probably can't imagine a big city airport with scheduled airline service, two long jet runways and a big cargo handling complex that doesn't have a decent place to grab a bite to eat -- can you?

Well, get used to the idea. If you haven't brought your own lunch, the best you can hope for is a *Snickers* bar from a vending machine (although we couldn't find one of those either). A check of the terminal showed that what used to be the nice restaurant on the second floor is now a banquet facility available only for wedding receptions, etc... The tiny "coffee shop - newsstand" was closed at 10 AM on a weekday.

So, if you get to RFD at mealtime, it's a matter of "get wheels or starve" RFD, in our opinion rates even less than one star. We give it a big Zero, minus!

COMM CLASSICS

Ground Control: "One Two Alpha, turn right at "hotel" and taxi to parking." "Bear left, disabled aircraft on the right."

One Two Alpha: "Roger -- I have the disabled aircraft -- I'm still looking for the bear."

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

The Clinton administration is at it again. The proposed budget seeks *seven billion* in aviation user fees. Are you ready to pay ATC service charges, landing fees and whatever else they dream up?

EAA and AOPA are our biggest and most effective allies in Washington (and the state capitols). Help them help us by joining and if you're able, enclose a check to help in their lobbying efforts.

JOIN NOW: AOPA 1-800-USA-AOPA

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